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overarching Catholic system of which all of their schools are a part?

SENATOR REDFIELD: Senator, I'm probably not the best to answer that. I know that they each...each parish runs their own school, and I do believe that the diocese has some oversight, but I know that they have a local principal and school board, so I don't know how much autonomy they have. You would have to ask someone who is more familiar with the system.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay. And I'm going to ask you a question to test you. This is a grammatical question. What is the plural of diocese?

SENATOR REDFIELD: I don't know.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Is "General" Friend here? "General," I'd like to ask you a question if you will yield. To your post.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Friend, would you reply?

SENATOR FRIEND: Yes, thank...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Friend, you've been a Catholic for a good long time, haven't you?

SENATOR FRIEND: Ever since I can...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: I didn't say a good Catholic. I said you've been a Catholic for a good long time.

SENATOR FRIEND: You...a good Catholic?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: No, I said I didn't say a good Catholic. I said you've been a Catholic for a good long time.

SENATOR FRIEND: Since I can remember.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay. You're familiar with the word diocese?